

## Classes Choose 1969-70 Leaders

By JOYCE COPELAND  
The classes took their turn in the political spotlight this week. Candidates for the offices of president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer, and senator of the three classes currently on campus were presented to the voters on March 24 and 25. The election of officers of the rising senior class had not been decided at the deadline of this

edition of the Collegiate. The reason for the delay was due to the fact that a list of candidates for the class was not turned in to SGA secretary, Dianne Brown, by the deadline and could not be placed on the ballot. The validity of the candidates was decided at the March 26 meeting of the Executive Board.

The rising junior class had a choice of either two or three

candidates in each office. The Monday and Tuesday balloting resulted in two run-off elections. Run-offs were held for offices of secretary and senator. Joyce Clegg and Sharon Wells were on the Wednesday ballot for secretary and Linda Gaddy and Joyce Copeland were vying for the position of senator. Jimmy Lucas defeated Tom Herring for the Presidency of the Junior

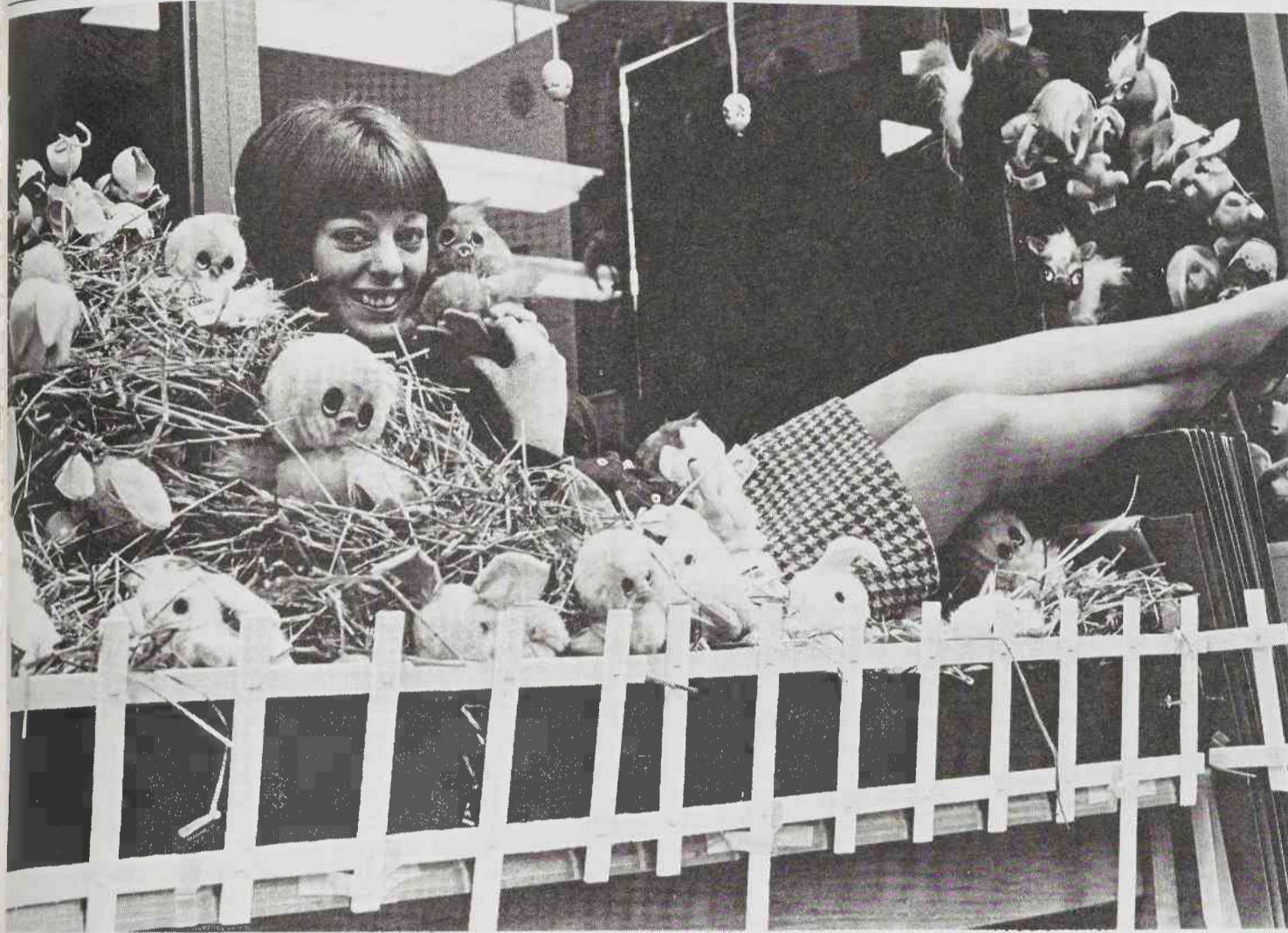
Class. Jim Adcox led Celia Looney and Carlie Smith in the election of the vice-president.

Nancy Parkes was given the office of treasurer defeating Bonnie Peele.

The freshman ballot was the scene of still another run-off. Jennie Lou Manning faced Janet Parker for the secretary's chair. Incumbent president, Jim Abbott

defeated his opponent Bill Jennings to begin his second year of leadership for the Class of '72. B. C. Franklin ran unopposed for the office of vice-president.

Margaret Crabtree successfully completed her campaign against Jim Reaser to begin her second year of office. The seat of senator found Debbie Hayman defeating Michael Wenger.



PETER THE RABBIT NEVER HAD IT SO GOOD — Freshman coed Neil Holliday surrounds herself with America's most famous secular Easter symbols — rabbits, brightly colored

chickens and Easter eggs. The Collegiate staff wishes you a most joyous Easter season. But please, don't be disappointed if the Easter Bunny fails to leave such a delight in your basket.

## Two Trips Are Taken

By WILBUR HARDY

"The Psychology Department is attempting to upgrade and unify the psychology curriculum so that it will be more advantageous to those students participating in it." This was the statement given by Grant Folmsbee in discussing two field trips that majors and minors in the Psychology Department took recently.

The first was a trip to Rich Square to visit the "Family Development Project," being operated by the Radio Corporation of America.

The first of the Family Development Project is to upgrade the work skill, family life and community participation of selected low-income families from a four-county area in Northeastern North Carolina.

The families involved in this project live in mobile homes in a small village and attend classes in workshops given over to building construction, welding and automotive mechanics. The women spend one-half of each day in home economics classes including child care, budgeting and community relationship. Basic academic courses are

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## Crucible Editors Present Awards

The editors of "Crucible," literary and art journal published by the Departments of English and Art, have announced winners in the year-long contest made possible by a grant from the North Carolina Arts Council.

First-place winners in poetry are Mrs. Juanita Tobin of Raleigh and Miss Rebekah Jenkins of Wilson. Mrs. Tobin, mother of a son and grandmother of two boys, has been for more than eight years a supervisor of

psychiatric nursing at Dorothea Dix Hospital in Raleigh. She has participated in writing workshops conducted by Sam Ragan and Bernadette Hoyle; and she has published in "The Tar Heel Nurse," "The News and Observer," "The Dorothea Dix Review," and "Tarheel Wheels." Last year the Poetry Forum of East Carolina University published a collection of her poems in "Trio in Scarlet."

Rebekah Jenkins, who has published previously in "Crucible," attended the University of North Carolina at Greensboro for two years and is now a junior at Atlantic Christian College where she is majoring in art.

First-place awards in fiction went to Mrs. Heni Ruggero of Raleigh and to Dr. Thomas N. Walters, a member of the staff in the Department of English at North Carolina State University at Raleigh. Mrs. Ruggero, a native of Queens County, New York, has made Raleigh her home for the past 15 years. She has studied creative writing with Guy Owen and with Sam Ragan in several workshops. She has published in the "News and Observer," the "Wall Street Journal," "Windhover," and "Ambit;" and she has done book-reviewing for the "News and Observer." The wife of Robert

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## Campaign Committee Confronted

By JOYCE COPELAND

Campaigns were not the only business of the March 12 Executive Board meeting although they occupied the majority of the board's time. Financial affairs in coming elections and a proposed voter registration program rounded out the political fanfare.

Sophomore Senator Kay Watson proposed a motion that all future campaigns be restricted to \$50.00 and that a validated record of all expenditures be presented to the board immediately after the elections. Miss Watson noted that N.C.S.U. used this \$50.00 limit in their presidential campaigns.

Kenneth O'Connell, upcoming SGA treasurer, told the board that this is not N.C.S.U. He condemned \$50.00 as a ridiculous figure. No way to control the money was apparent to O'Connell.

Tom Aycock pointed out that such a situation might curb enthusiasm. Miss Watson assured the plan would help bring about

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## Spring Vacation Begins Saturday

Spring recess will officially begin at 1 p.m. Saturday. Classes will resume at 8 a.m. Tuesday, April 8. The Collegiate wishes you a most happy Easter season.

## Psychology Course Is Now Featured

By JIM ABBOTT

The Psychology department has recently instituted a new course and a new dimension to its curriculum. The course is Psychology of Social Work and it is directed toward the junior and senior level.

In discussing the course, Larry Whitlock, assistant professor of Psychology said that, "it was a valuable addition to the curriculum of Atlantic Christian and that the course fits in well with the present trend of colleges to get students out of the classroom and into the actual field of social work." He added that, "Half of the students time would be spent in the classroom and the other half in the field."

The main objectives of the course are two-fold; to give the students an opportunity to see what is available in the field of helping agencies; and to work towards the fulfillment of the demands for social workers in North Carolina.

Correspondence

Whitlock has received correspondence from several graduate schools in North Carolina asking for students qualified in this area to fulfill vacant positions in their graduate programs.

The course doesn't cost the college any extra money because the professors are provided by the different helping agencies in

the state such as the Department of Vocational Rehabilitation, the Department of Mental Health,

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## Biafra Week Is Declared

This week has been selected as "Aid to Biafra Week" on our campus and we have until Friday to raise as much money as we possibly can, it has been reported by Al Cooke. Every dollar, every dime, every penny that you put in one of the coffers around campus helps to keep someone alive, Cooke stated.

Biafra is a small Nigerian province desperately involved in the struggle for independence. Since May of 1967 many Biafrans have been murdered in this genocidal war than in Hitler's concentration camps. Many of these deaths has been due to the English blockade which surrounds Biafra, prohibiting food from entering the starving country.

The pleas issued by Biafrans for outside assistance have been well received in the U.S. In fact the Catholic Relief Agency has forwarded over one million dollars worth of supplies to Biafra; and over four hundred and fifty tons of food per day is being shipped to that country. However, this is inadequate.



BECKE JENKINS  
Winner



RONALD WACHS  
Winner